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Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6034
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E.O.11652: N/A
TAGS: BEXP TS
SUBJECT: TRADE OPPORTUNITY FOLLOW-UP MATCHSTICKS

REF: 76 STATE 292632

1. REGIE NATIONALE DES TABACS ET DES ALLUMETTES
RECEIVED DIAMOND BID BUT THE SAMPLE WAS RECEIVED TOO
LATE. THEREFORE DIAMOND'S BID WAS NOT CONSIDERED. EVEN
IF SAMPLE WERE RECEIVED IN TIME, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN TO
EXPENSIVE AT 6D160 PER THOUSAND BOXES COMPARED TO 4D517 FOR THE
LOWEST BID.

2. EIGHT FIRMS SUBMITTED OFFERS. THREE SENT SAMPLES
TOO LATE AND WERE NOT CONSIDERED. BIDS AWAREDED TO
RUSSIAN, ITALIAN AND SWEDISH COMPANIES, ACCORDING TO
QUANTITIES OFFERED.

5. ACCORDING TO OUR RECORDS, EMBASSY DID NOT RECEIVE
DUPLICATE BID PACKAGE MENTIONED REFTEL.
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Message Attributes

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